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Mr. Nolan Jensen, FFA/CO Project Manager
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RE: Additional extension for submittal of the WAG 1-10 RD/RAWP Addendum 3 for V-Tanks
Phase 2 Treatment

Dear Mr. Jensen:

I am in receipt of your letter and supporting information of November 30, 2005 (FMDP-RFDP-05-132) requesting an additional extension for submittal of the WAG 1-10 RD/RAWP Addendum 3 for V-Tanks Phase 2 Treatment from December 31, 2005 to May 31, 21006.

After review of your letter and technical information, I acknowledge that the recent GAC fire, investigation, and proposed recovery schedule to complete waste treatment is just cause to grant your extension request. Nevertheless, as this is the second extension request for this project it is paramount that DOE and its Idaho Cleanup Project contractor implement all reasonable efforts to complete this project within the additional five month period.

Therefore, DEQ grants the requested extension for submittal of the Draft RD/RAWP Addendum 3 for V-Tanks Phase 2 Treatment from December 31, 2005 to May 31, 2006.

Sincerely,

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